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Adel Man Wins \$800,000

David Branam Becomes Iowa's Biggest Power Play Winner Ever

When David Branam found out his Powerball® ticket was worth \$800,000, he put it away in the safest place he knew.

"I put my ticket in my hearing aid box. Nobody would ever look in there!" Branam, 79, said with a laugh. "I had signed it, though. I'd always heard if you had a winning ticket, you should sign it."

The retired welder from Adel won \$800,000 with Power Play® in the July 22 Powerball drawing. He bought his winning ticket at Kum & Go, 409 Nile Kinnick Dr. in Adel.

"It's worth the extra dollar," said Branam of the cost of playing the Power Play. Because he purchased the Power Play option, the normal \$200,000 prize for matching five white balls was multiplied by four for a total prize of \$800,000, the largest Power Play prize in Iowa to date.



David Branam of Adel

"We're going to invest it," Branam said when asked how he would spend his winnings, adding that he and his wife, Jean, also plan to take a fishing trip to Minnesota in the near future.

The winning Powerball numbers for the July 22 drawing were: 14-40-47-54-55. The Powerball was 6. The Power Play multiplier was 4. 🍀

Get Your Motor Runnin' With a Cyclone Victory!

Get ready, Iowa State fans! Your time has come!



That's because you could win the first-ever custom Cyclone Victory Vegas Jackpot™ motorcycle! Imagine arriving at the next Cyclone home game on a custom-painted Cyclone bike!

Manufactured by Victory motorcycles in Iowa, this one-of-a-kind motorcycle is custom painted by Custom Paint Specialists in Des Moines (www.cpspaint.com) and furnished by Van Wall Motorsports of Perry.

Enter the "Cyclone Victory" contest anytime between Aug. 25 and Sept. 24, 2006, for your chance to win this awesome bike! Simply use any nonwinning Iowa lotto ticket to enter on the lottery's Web site. If your lotto ticket worth \$5 or more does not win a prize (includes Powerball, Hot Lotto, Iowa's \$100,000 Cash Game, Pick 3 and Pick 4), go to www.ialottery.com to enter the Cyclone Victory promotion! Plays must be on one ticket to be eligible for entry. Eligible nonwinning tickets must be purchased

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Roll the Dice for Fun with New Scratch Games!

Pocket Poker (\$20)

Top Prize: \$500

Overall Odds: 1 in 1.00

Game Begins: On sale now!

Prize	Odds
\$3	1 in 5.00
\$5	1 in 3.00
\$7	1 in 5.00
\$10	1 in 15.00
\$20	1 in 15.00
\$40	1 in 15.00
\$60	1 in 16.13
\$100	1 in 333.33
\$500	1 in 600.00

Deal yourself some fun playing the “Pocket Poker” electronic game card! Every card’s a guaranteed winner of at least \$3 and you can win up to \$500! First, activate the card by removing the battery tag. To begin, press the “Deal” button on the front of the card. The display tells you that you have 80 plays on the card. Press “Deal” to reveal four cards. Press “Deal” again to reveal the final card in the hand. If the hand revealed matches a hand in the Points Legend on the front of the card, you win the corresponding point amount. Each time you have a winning hand, a message will flash indicating the points won. If a free play is won, the free hand will be awarded



immediately following the hand on which it was won. After each play, the card will automatically accumulate your points. Each point is worth 25 cents. See the instructions inside the card package for more details.

Fruit Loot (\$1)

Top Prize: \$300

Overall Odds: 1 in 4.90

Game Begins: On sale now!

Prize	Odds
\$1	1 in 7.50
\$2	1 in 20.00
\$3	1 in 100.00
\$6	1 in 240.00
\$15	1 in 300.00
\$30	1 in 400.00
\$300	1 in 84,000.00



Grab some “Fruit Loot”!

If you uncover three like amounts, you win that amount. If you uncover two like amounts and an “Apple” symbol, you win double the prize amount shown!

7 Come 11 (\$1)

Top Prize: \$700

Overall Odds: 1 in 4.61

Game Begins: Aug. 28



Prize	Odds
\$1	1 in 7.50
\$2	1 in 20.00
\$3	1 in 60.00
\$7	1 in 100.00
\$11	1 in 300.00
\$47	1 in 300.00
\$110	1 in 10,000.00
\$700	1 in 40,000.00

Let ‘em roll!

If the total of any “Roll” equals 7 or 11, win the prize shown for that Roll.

For more information on our scratch games, visit our Web site at www.ialottery.com. Select the “Games” link on the left side of the home page, then click on the “Scratch Tickets” logo on the Games main page.

Green & Gold (\$2)

Top Prize: \$10,000

Overall Odds: 1 in 3.84

Game Begins: Aug. 28

Prize	Odds
\$2	1 in 6.00
\$3	1 in 18.75
\$5	1 in 50.00
\$10	1 in 150.00
\$15	1 in 150.00
\$50	1 in 150.00
\$500	1 in 12,000.00
\$10,000	1 in 120,000.00



You could win some “Green” if you find the “Gold”!

Match any of “Your Numbers” to either of the “Winning Numbers” and win the prize shown for that number. Find a “Gold Bar” symbol and win that prize instantly!

Des Moines Woman Wins Big, Plans Trip

Kathryn Seskis, 64, of Des Moines won \$25,000 playing the "Tripler Bingo" instant-scratch game. She purchased her ticket at Tobacco Outlet Plus, 2601 E. Euclid Ave. in Des Moines.

Seskis, a loyal Bingo player, was absolutely ecstatic when she claimed her prize, which was the same day she won.

"I had bought five ... and the last one that I [scratched] was a winner!" she exclaimed. "I feel wonder-



Kathryn Seskis of Des Moines

ful. I am just so thrilled! It finally paid off for me."

Seskis said she would like to use her money to update her home and take a trip back to Pennsylvania, where she grew up.

"My daughter ... said, 'You'd better get on an airplane, Mom, since you have the money now!'" she laughed. 🐾

For more information on any lottery winners, visit our Web site at www.ialottery.com. Select the "Winners Circle" link on the left side of the home page.

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Aug. 25 through Sept. 23, 2006, for drawings ending no later than Sept. 23, 2006. Nonwinning tickets must be entered in the promotion on the lottery's Web site by midnight on Sept. 24, 2006.

One drawing will be held on Tuesday, Sept. 26, 2006, for the motorcycle.

Players must keep all nonwinning lotto tickets they enter and may use each ticket only once as an eligible entry. The winner will be contacted and instructed to bring their nonwinning lotto ticket to the Iowa Lottery to claim their prize. For a copy of the official promotion rules, visit any Iowa Lottery regional office or go to www.ialottery.com.

Get a sneak peak at the bike before two ISU football games, at the "Cyclone Experience" located just south of Jack Trice stadium in Ames: first at the Aug. 31 game vs. Toledo and then at the Sept. 9 game vs. UNLV. The motorcycle will be presented to the winner at the Oct. 7 game vs. Nebraska.

Go Cyclones! 🐾

Visit our Web site, www.ialottery.com, for complete contest rules and details. Click on the "Promotions" link on the left side of the home page, then follow the links provided.

Some Scratch Games Ending

The last day to claim prizes in the following games is **September 11, 2006**: Double Bingo (Purple), Wild Crossword (Lizard), High/Low, Gold Fever, Reelin' in the Cash, Money Comb, Firecracker Cash, Bewitched and Thanks A Million. 🐾

Latest Monthly VIP Club Winners

Congratulations to the following VIP Club members who were drawn as winners in the monthly VIP Club drawings for \$25 in Lottery Bucks!

April 2006

Kathy Martin of Knoxville*
Philip McLaren of Massena
Jerry Clark of West Des Moines
James Foley of Mason City
Tressa Weber of Cedar Rapids

May 2006

Calvin Wright of Des Moines*
Kurtis Peterson of Des Moines
Barbara Ratcliffe of Des Moines
Merlin A. Beermann of Sheldon
Phyllis A. Gill of Davenport

June 2006

Hal Lunsford of Des Moines*
Norma Schmitz of Denison
Lois Hoover of Des Moines
Helene Silverstein of Webster City
Patricia Boekeloo of Clinton


Beginning in July, if you have the "Lucky Birthday," you could win Lottery Bucks! Each month five prizes of \$25 in "Lottery Bucks" will be awarded to members of our VIP Club. Lottery officials will choose a lucky birthday randomly each month. All those VIP Club members who have that birthday will be entered into a drawing for one of the five prizes of \$25 in Lottery Bucks. The first drawing with the new format will be in August for the July winners.

Prizes are not exchangeable for cash. 🐾

**New member*

For a complete list of VIP Club winners, visit our Web site at www.ialottery.com ... just select "VIP Club" on the left side of the home page, then choose "VIP Club Drawing" from the links at the top of the VIP Club main page.





COUPON


VERY IMPORTANT PLAYERS

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Pick 4

Buy \$3 or more in Pick 4 plays on a single ticket, and receive \$1 off your total purchase!

Not valid with any other offer. Offer good 8/14/2006 through 9/30/2006.



COUPON # 323

USE THIS **COUPON** NEXT TIME YOU **PLAY.**

WARNING!

THE STAFF OF THE IOWA LOTTERY URGES EVERYONE TO PLAY RESPONSIBLY. IF SOMEONE YOU KNOW HAS A GAMBLING ADDICTION PROBLEM, CALL 1-800-BETS OFF **(1-800-238-7633)**. YOU MUST BE AT LEAST 21 YEARS OLD TO PURCHASE LOTTERY TICKETS.

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